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Subject: Project 704 – "BWR Vessel and Internals Project, Nobel Metal Chemical Application

(NMCA) Materials Surveillance Program at Duane Arnold Energy Center: Second Surveillance Report (1997-1998) (BWRVIP-68)," EPRI Report TR-112869, June 1999.

Enclosed are two (2) copies of the document, "BWR Vessel and Internals Project, Nobel Metal Chemical Application (NMCA) Materials Surveillance Program at Duane Arnold Energy Center: Second Surveillance Report (1997-1998) (BWRVIP-68)," EPRI Report TR-112869, June 1999.

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If you have any questions on this subject please call Steve Lewis of Entergy, BWRVIP Assessment Committee Technical Chairman, at (601) 368-5444.

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